

19. Give a detailed explanation on rhythm and intonation.
20. Transcribe the following sentences :
- I want to improve my English language.
 - I want to become a teacher.
 - The English teacher taught phonetics.
 - The Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu inaugurated the conference.
 - John is fond of sweets.
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**CEN32/FEN32 — INTRODUCTION TO
ENGLISH PHONETICS**

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

SECTION A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

- Define displacement in evaluation of English language.
- What is arbitrariness in English phonetics?
- What is phonology?
- Write five organs of speech.
- What is Acoustic Phonetics?
- What is the role of phonatory system?
- Write the plosive sounds.
- What is intonation?
- Define nucleus.
- Give phonetic transcription : Architecture and Economics.

SECTION B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

11. (a) Explain the concept of duality of language.

Or

- (b) Give a short note on the importance of cultural transmission.

12. (a) Explain the pulmonic air-stream mechanism.

Or

- (b) Write a paragraph on the difference vowels and consonants sounds.

13. (a) Write all the consonants sounds.

Or

- (b) Write a short note on branches of phonetic.

14. (a) Define semi-vowels and why it is called so?

Or

- (b) Describe diphthongs with a diagram.

15. (a) What is consonant cluster and give five examples.

Or

- (b) Mark the stress :

(i) Communication

(ii) Technique

(iii) Question

(iv) Society

(v) Teacher

SECTION C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE questions.

16. Give a detail explanation on the evaluation of English language.

17. Write an essay on organs of speech.

18. Write the classification of consonant sounds and give examples of all 24 sounds.